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For: MICROSPHERE ADHESIVE FORMULATIONS

## AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This is in response to the Office action, paper No. 8, mailed December 3, 2003,  
for which a response is due March 3, 2004.